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In re application of:

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Application No. 10/578,585

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ELECTROTHERAPY APPARATUS  
FOR TREATING A PERSON OR A  
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Sir:

Applicants request a two-month extension of time from January 1, 2010 to  
March 1, 2010 and authorize the Commissioner to charge the fee therefor, and any additional fee  
that may be due, to our deposit account in accordance with the attached Fee Transmittal sheet.

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) accompanies this reply.

In response to the Final Rejection dated October 1, 2009, please enter the  
following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this  
paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.